

Seney National Wildlife Refuge

July 2006 Schedule

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Wildlife Wednesdays

Wed. nights in July and August
7-9:30pm

Join us Wednesdays this month for an evening guided auto tour of the Refuge backcountry. We'll be on the lookout for a variety of wildlife, while sharing Refuge history and management practices.

Beaver – The Weaver

Monday, July 3 & Tuesday, July 11
7:30 pm

This tour through some of the Refuge's prime beaver habitat takes a look at how these fascinating creatures are the weavers of the habitat that surrounds them and how they themselves are adapted to a life between land and water.

Crane Club – Bald Eagles

Thursday, July 20
10:00am

Kids can join in on any of our monthly "Crane Clubs". All club programs will last about 1 hour and will be geared towards kids in grades 1-3. This month we will be discovering neat things about Bald Eagles.

Morning/Evening Guided Tours

Saturday, July 1 7:00am

Saturday, July 22 7:00pm

Join one of our "staff" members for a casual drive through the Refuge. A great opportunity to ask questions and see wildlife.

Make Some Bones About It!

July 11, 16, 25

3:00pm

Come find out how similar your skeleton is to other animals'. Don't worry, no dissection involved!

Who-o-o Knows Owls?

Sunday, July 23

9:00pm

This program will take a look at these specialized creatures to discover what adaptations make them one of the most efficient creatures of the night. Presentation followed by a chance to call in one of the many owls found at the Refuge.

Bog Botany

Sunday, July 30

3:00pm

Discover how some of our most beloved plants have adapted to the harsh conditions of bog life. Auditorium Program.

Volunteer Potluck & Biology Presentations

Thursday, July 27

6:00pm

Have an interest in volunteering at the Refuge? Want to hear about a couple of projects currently going on? Join us, and the current volunteers, at the Visitor Center for a casual and informational social gathering.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Morning Guided Tour 7am -9:30am
2	3 Beaver 7:30 pm	4	5 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30 pm	6	7	8
9	10	11 Bones 3pm Beaver 7:30pm	12 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30 pm	13	14	15
16 Bones 3pm	17	18	19 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30pm	20 Crane Club – Bald Eagles 10am	21	22 Evening Guided Tour 7pm – 9:30pm
23 Owls 9pm	24	25 Bones 3pm	26 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30 pm	27 Volunteer potluck & Biology presentations 6:00 pm	28	29
30 Bog Botany 3pm	31					

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August 2006 Schedule

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Federal & Jr. Duck Stamp Art

Thursday, August 3 Thru
Saturday, August 12

Community members and visitors alike should mark their calendars for this exhibition of original art in the national contest that produces the Federal Duck Stamp and, since 1993, a junior-artist postage stamp. The presence of the exhibition, which is a big deal in waterfowl circles, will be on display for a week at the Seney National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center which is open 7 days a week from 9am until 5pm.

Waterfowl Art "Class"

Saturday, August 5
10:00am – 4pm

With the duck stamp art display as our inspiration, two local artisans will share their skills with anyone interested in trying their hand at drawing "ducks". Stop by any time between 10 & 4 to learn the basics and get some one on one instruction.

OPEN HOUSE

Tuesday, August 15
4pm – 8pm

We are currently in a planning process that involves evaluating our activities and planning for our future goals. Please stop by the Visitor Center to share your thoughts and ideas about the Refuge.

Guided Bicycle Tours

Friday, August 18 & 25
3:00pm – 5:00 pm?

Join one of our volunteers for a casual bike ride through the Refuge. If you don't have a bike you can reserve one from Northland Outfitters for a small fee. A great opportunity to explore the backcountry with an experienced cyclist.

Who-o-o Knows Owls?

Tuesday, Aug. 1 & Monday, Aug. 28
9:00pm

Discover what adaptations make owls one of the most efficient creatures of the night. Presentation followed by a chance to call in one of the many owls found at the Refuge.

Bog Botany

Tuesday, Aug. 8 & Sunday, Aug. 20
3:00pm

Discover how some of our most beloved plants have adapted to the harsh conditions of bog life. Auditorium Program.

Crane Club – Beaver

Thursday, August 24
10:00am

Kids can join in on any of our monthly "Crane Clubs". All club programs will last about 1 hour and will be geared towards kids in grades 1-3. This month we will be discovering neat things about Beaver.

Volunteer Potluck & Presentation

Thursday August 24
6:00pm

Have an interest in volunteering at the Refuge? Want to hear about a current Refuge project? Join us at the Visitor Center for a casual and informational social gathering.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Owls 9pm	2	3 Duck Stamp Art Display Thru Aug. 12	4	5 Waterfowl Art 10am – 4pm
6	7	8 Bog Botany 3pm	9 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30 pm	10	11	Duckstamp 12 display ends. Owls 9pm
13	14	15 OPEN HOUSE 4pm – 8pm	16 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30 pm	17	18 Bike Tour 3pm – 5pm	19
20 Bog Botany 3pm	21	22	23 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30pm	24 Crane Club Beaver 10am Volunteer potluck 6:00 pm	25 Bike Tour 3pm – 5pm	26
27	28 Owls 9pm	29	30 Wildlife Wednesday 7-9:30 pm	31		Visit us at "Art on the Lake"